

Private Venture Capital Sources

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Alliance group, Inc.

Mike Pitino
9505 Williamsburg Plaza, Suite 101
Louisville, KY 40222
(502) 425-3715
Stages for investment: Early stage
and later stages
Size of investment: up to \$1 million
Industries preferred: Broad

bCatalyst Advisors

124 North First Street
Louisville, KY 40202
(502) 583-0400
(502) 583-5606
www.bccatalyst.com
Email: info@bccatalyst.com

Blue Equity, LLC

Jonathan Blue
Preston Pointe
333 E. Main Street
Louisville, KY 40202
(502) 589-8181
Stages for investment: all
Size of investment: \$250k-\$20m
Industries preferred: real estate,
financial services, publishing, media
and a sports and entertainment
platform traditional brick and mortar
businesses

Bluegrass Angels

Dean Harvey
208 Mathews Building, University of
Kentucky
Lexington, KY 40506-0047
(859) 257-1930
Web Site: <http://www.lexicc.com>
Description: Primarily seed
Funding Limits: \$50k to \$1000k
Types of Businesses Funded:
technology with IP preferred

C-Cap /Queen City Angels

Jim Cunningham
11427 Reed Hartman Highway
Cincinnati, OH 45241
(513) 618-6440
Web Site:
<http://www.c-cap.net/angels.html>
Description: Pre-seed, seed and
early stage
Funding Limits: Up to \$750k
Types of Businesses Funded:
Broad interests

Cobalt Ventures

Todd Blue
PO Box 1509
Louisville, KY 40201
(502) 589.8811
Web Site:
<http://www.cobaltventures.com>
Stages for investment: established
companies with revenue
Size of investment: Up to \$5
million
Industries preferred: real estate,
commodities, materials handling,
transaction-based businesses

Commonwealth Seed Capital

Margaret C. Bell
(513) 361-7956
margaret.bell@fortwashington.com
Stages for investment: Early-stage
natural products companies
Size of investment: \$50,000 to
\$1,000,000
Industries preferred:
pharmaceutical, biotechnology,
nutriceutical, functional food and
ag-biotech

Evermore Fund

Dean Holland
Managing Member
Evermore Investments, LLC
Anchorage Crossings
P.O. Box 23539
11405 Park Road, Suite 180
Anchorage, KY 40223
(502) 292-2393
Web Site:
www.evermoreinvestments.com

Evermore Fund (cont'd)

Stages for investment: revenue phase near cash flow positive
Size of investment: \$50k - \$500k
Industries preferred: technology, healthcare, manufacturing,

Futurity Investment Group, LLC

Rod McNerney
900 Baxter Avenue
Louisville, KY 40204
(502) 583-3038
Stages for investment: Middle to latter stages and buy outs
Size of investment: \$500,000 to \$2,500,000
Industries preferred:
Manufacturing and service

Kentucky Highlands Investment Corporation / Mountain Ventures

Elmer Parlier
362 Old Whitley Road
London, KY 40743-1738
(606) 864-5175
Web site: <http://khic.org>
Description: Seed through expansion
Funding Limits: \$150k to \$400k
Types of Businesses: low-tech

Kentucky Seed Fund

George Emont
201 E. Jefferson
Suite 315A
Louisville, KY 40202
(502) 569-1590
Description: Seed Stage
Funding Limits: \$50k-\$200k
Types of Businesses Funded:
medical Devices and biotechnology,
healthcare services and health care
Information technology

Meritus Ventures

Ray Moncrief
P.O. Box 1738
London, KY 40743
606-864-5175
Stages: Expansion
Size of investment: \$250,000-\$2,000,000
Industries preferred: Primarily technology, service, manufacturing

OPM Ventures

Chuck Woods, VP
111 W. Washington St. #300
Louisville, KY 40202
502-583-8892
Web site: www.opmservices.net
Description: Pre-seed, seed,
early stage
Funding Limits: \$100,000 -
\$2,000,000
Types of Businesses Funded:
Transportation, Life Sciences,
Entertainment, Manufacturing,
Broadband

Pattco Inc.

Tom Dieruf
10000 Shelbyville Rd.
Louisville, KY 40223
(502) 245-6623
Stages for investment: later stage
companies
Size of investment: \$2 million
and up

River Hill Capital

W. James Lintner, Jr.
2904 Eastpoint Pkwy
Louisville, KY 40223-4186
(502) 326-4922
Web Site:
<http://www.riverhillcapital.com>
Stages for investment: Seed for
revenue growth
Size of investment: Up to \$500k
Industries preferred: most
industries including healthcare,
insurance, real estate

Southern Appalachian Fund

Ray Moncrief
P.O. Box 1738
London, KY 40743
606-864-5175
Web Site:
<http://southappfund.com>
Stages for investment: Early to
expansion
Size of investment: \$250,000-
\$750,000
Industries preferred: Primarily
technology, service, manufacturing,
Low income census tracts

Todd Investment Advisors, Inc.

101 S. 5th Street, Suite 3160
Louisville, KY 40202
Toll Free: (888) 544-8633
Local: (502) 585-3121
www.toddinvestment.com

Triathlon Medical Ventures

George Emont
201 E. Jefferson
Suite 315A
Louisville, KY 40202
(502) 569-1590
Web Site: www.t.mvp.com
Stages for investment: First
institutional round
Size of investment: Initially, \$500k-
\$3mm, up to \$7mm cumulatively
Industries preferred: Medical
Devices and biotechnology

Yearling Fund

Dale Boden
Preston Pointe
333 E. Main Street
Louisville, KY 40202
(502) 587-1860
Stages for investment: Seed for
revenue growth
Size of investment: \$100k to \$300k
Industries preferred:
Technology, Health